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Re: Application of Yoshiaki ODA, Kazuhiro YAMAUCHI, Hidenori HANAOKA and Hiroshi SOUDA
PROCESS FOR THE PREPARATION OF CYCLOPENTADIENYL METAL SALT AND PROCESS FOR
THE PREPARATION OF DERIVATIVE OF CYCLOPENTADIENE USING THE SAME

Our Reference: Q55095

PCT/JP98/00110, filed January 14, 1998

Dear Sir:

Applicants herewith submit the attached papers for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. § 371 and in accordance with Chapter II of the Patent Cooperation Treaty. Attached hereto is the application identified above which is a translation of PCT International Application No. PCT/JP98/00110, filed January 14, 1998, comprising the specification, claims, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, Notification of Transmittal of Copies of Translation of the International Preliminary Examination Report, International Preliminary Examination Report, Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449 with references, International Search Report, executed Assignment and PTO Form 1595.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total Claims	27 - 20 =	7 x \$18 =	\$ 126.00
Independent Claims	2 - 3 =	0 x \$78 =	\$ 000.00
Base Filing Fee	(\$840.00)		\$ 840.00
Multiple Dep. Claim Fee	(\$260.00)		\$ 260.00
TOTAL FILING FEE			\$ 1226.00
Recordation of Assignment Fee			\$ 40.00
TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT FEE			\$ 1266.00

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$ 1226.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$ 40.00 are attached. You are also directed and authorized to charge or credit any difference or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

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The Office is invited to contact the above firm on any question which might arise on the above-named application. Any contact that the Office might need to make should be directed to J. Frank Osha, Registration No. 24,625, at (202)293-7060.

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